

# Troopers Arrest Townsend Man for Felony Stalking – Townsend

**Townsend** – The Delaware State Police have arrested 52-year-old **Robert Hegwood** of Townsend for felony stalking after he repeatedly harassed and threatened his neighbor.

Hegwood has been harassing his 61-year-old neighbor/victim for approximately a year. There have been multiple incidents reported to the police regarding Hegwood playing loud music, making loud banging noises at the property line, and screaming the victim's name while outside. On July 23, 2020, Hegwood was charged by the Delaware State Police for Terroristic Threatening after threatening to shoot the victim.

On Friday, July 24, 2020, Hegwood turned himself in to Delaware State Police Troop 9 and charged with one count of felony Stalking. He was arraigned in Justice of the Peace Court and released after posting bail on a \$3,000 secured bond.

If you or someone you know is a victim or witness of crime or have lost a loved one to sudden death and are in need of assistance, the Delaware State Police Victim Services Unit/Delaware Victim Center is available to offer you support and resources 24 hours a day through a toll-free hotline 1800 VICTIM-1. (1800 842-8461). You may also email the unit Director at [debra.reed@state.de.us](mailto:debra.reed@state.de.us).

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